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In re the Application of: Naoyuki INOUE

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Sir:

Applicants petition the Commissioner for Patents to extend the time for response to the Office Action dated July 3, 2003 for three months from November 3, 2003 to January 4, 2004 (minus \$110.00 that was paid on October 30, 2003 with Amendment).

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